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LOMOND, ALBERTA, FRIDAY, JULY 16, 1920

\$1.00 PER YEAR.

Travers' Sports Day, July 22nd

The town of Travers is holding its annual sports day and base ball tournament on Thursday next, July 22nd. A good program is scheduled for the day. There will be two senior ball games and Lomond will make a try for the big end of the money.

2 senior ball games, purse \$75, first game at 1 p.m., second game at 5 p.m.

Boys' race, under 10 years, 50 yards, \$1 and 50c.

Girls' race, under 10 years, 50 yards, \$1 and 50c.

Boys' race, under 12 years, 50 yards, \$1 and 50c.

Girls' race, under 12 years, 50 yards, \$1 and 50c.

Boys' race, under 15 years, 75 yards,

\$1 and 50c.

Girls' race, under 15 years, 75 yards, \$1 and 50c.

Ladies' race, 75 yards, special prize given by J. M. Murphy.

Married couples' relay race, 75 yards, special prize given by the MacGregor Hardware Co.

Fat man's race, 100 yards, special prize given by Tom Vickers.

Walking match, heel and toe, 200 yards, special prize given by Purcel's Limited.

Base running contest, against time, special prize given by A. S. Buchan.

Ball throwing contest, \$3 and \$2.

The day will be concluded by a big dance in Paulson's Hall.

The Boy Scouts and Girl Guides are planning a camping expedition to go to the South Dam for a few days. They intend going about the 26th.

A Kick Against The Weeds

Editor The Press.

Dear Sir:—If you have room in The Press I would like you to kindly draw the attention of our councillors to the fields bad weeds south and east of town. It is a disgrace. Some people try to farm, and at the same time, others are allowed to grow weeds and nothing is being done to check them.

Yours truly,

• "A Ratepayer." •

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Well, brother ratepayer, we cannot see any reason why you should confine your remarks to the south and east of town unless that area should more or less immediately concern you. Conditions are the same all over the country

and in the town as well. This country has suffered tremendously through the lack of real farming. The people would not now be so hard up if they had learned this lesson earlier. The days lucky farming appear to be over.

Vulcan to Play Here Monday

The Lomond ball team went to Milo Sunday afternoon to play a game but just got there in time to enjoy a nice rainstorm. There was also some hail in the storm but only a few farmers were so unfortunate as to suffer heavily thereby.

The Vulcan ball team is billed to play at Lomond on Monday, the 19th, game to be called at 6 o'clock sharp.

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The new Frost & Wood binder is going to cut a big figure on the Western Canada machinery market this fall. The Frost & Wood has always been recognized as one of the best machines made, but the new binder embodies several vitally important features but recently evolved by the world's leading mechanical scientists. This is not a freak gotten out to cover a failure, but an improvement on something already good.

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Tobaccos, Cigars,
Confectionery.

Fruits and Soft
Drinks of all
Kinds.

VULCAN STAGE LINE

Dad Cox

LOMOND

.. LOCALETS ..

Not to be outdone by the Rebekahs, the Lomond Oddfellows staged their installation ceremonies on Thursday evening around a setting of ice cream and cake. Of course the companionship of the ladies was sought for and obtained wheu lunch time was at hand. The installation was in charge of W. M. Armstrong, D. D. G. M. J. P. G., W. H. Smith. N. G., R. N. Moir. V. G., Elvin Benson. Rec. Sec., Vern Davies. Fin. Sec., E. R. Barnett. Treas., H. Erskine. Warden, P. L. Sokvitne. Conductor, H. F. Thompson. Chaplain, R. H. Hughes. R. S. N. G., W. A. Teskey. L. S. N. G., I. Magnusson. R. S. V. G., Tom Chapman. L. S. V. G., Gee. Brotherhood. I. G., M. LaFontaine. O. G., John Magnusson.

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The Brooks Bulletin in the issue of July 7th chronicles the fact that locally grown new potatoes are being used by certain people over there and challenges the rest of the province to beat it. We can't beat it, but at the same time a number of the Lomond gardens are now effectually combating the eight cent spud menace. In another week the use of new potatoes will be quite general, while the imported product has only been available for about ten days and at prohibitive prices.

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LOMOND, ALBERTA

Meets on the first and third Tuesdays in each month. Visiting members welcomed.

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Sister Teskey, V.G.
Sister Smith, Secretary.
Sister Tulloch, Treasurer

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of the

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Everybody invited.

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LOMOND



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The Lomond Press

LOMOND ALBERTA

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RAE L. KING, PROP

LOMOND, ALBERTA, JULY 16, 1920

Preserving Hints

It is now the season for canning fruits and vegetables and, though the price of sugar may be high, thus tending to discourage housekeepers from canning as much fruit as they otherwise would do, yet there are few who will care to be without a fair supply for the long period until the fresh product is available again.

Every year a large number of cans of fruit and vegetables spoil and, especially under present conditions, it is important to reduce the loss to a minimum. This is done by ensuring thorough sterilization of the jars into which the product is put and thorough sterilization of the product itself. The germ of decay, moulds and bacteria are practically always present and unless destroyed, will attack and spoil the fruit and vegetables. Moulds usually form on the surface only, but when the product becomes soured, the whole of the product is spoiled. This souring, or "Flat Sour" as it is called, is due to various causes.

In the bulletin on "The Preservation of Fruits and Vegetables," issued by the Horticultural Division in 1919, the author, Miss Margaret Macfarlane, gives the following causes for Flat Sour:

1. By the vegetables being allowed to stand in the cold water of the blanching period for a longer time than is necessary. Never blanch or cold dip more than you can pack at once.

2. By the jars being allowed to stand after being filled with boiling water, before being placed in the canner or sterilizer. If one or two of the jars are in the canner a few minutes longer than is necessary the fruit or vegetables will not be affected, while if the jar were left on the table for a corresponding length of time "flat sour" might be started.

3. By the jars being placed close together after being taken from the canner which prevents their cooling rapidly.

4. By the product being allowed to stand over night before canning. Peas, beans, corn and asparagus which are overripe or too mature when canned will readily "Flat Sour."

To prevent "flat sour":—

1. Can within five hours after picking.

2. Can only young, tender, fresh

POUND NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of power granted under Section 208 of "The Rural Municipalities Act" and of By-Law No. 1 of the Municipal District of Clifton, No. 127, that the following animals were impounded in Pound kept by the undersigned on the N. E. ¼ of 2-16-20, 2 miles south of Lomond.

Impounded June 15th.

1 brown ridgling, branded on left shoulder

Impounded July 3rd.

1 sorrel mare, about 4 years old, weight about 1250, indistinct brand on right shoulder.

JOHN R. McKAY,
Poundkeeper.

products.

3. Blanch, cold dip and pack one jar of the product at a time, and place each jar in the canner as it is packed. The first jar will not be affected by extra cooking.

4. Cool the jars as quickly as possible, but do not let a draught strike them.

Another important factor in successful canning is the preparation of the canning utensils. The following quotation from the bulletin already referred to deals with this.

"If jar has been used the previous year, special attention must be paid to washing. Wash carefully in clean, hot soapy water. Rinse in hot water and test. Test every jar, top, and rubber. See that the edges of the jar or top are not rough, by running your finger around the edge. All sharp edges should be filed or scraped off. Fill each jar half full of warm water, adjust the rubber, put on the cover and snap the wire clamp. Turn jar upside down to see if it leaks. In using a Perfect Seal jar, if the jar leaks, the clamp may be tightened by turning the spring of the clamp underneath the word "tight" on the neck of the bottle.

Never use a rubber ring which has been used before. Old rubbers lose their elasticity, are brittle and break when stretched. Test rubber by holding the ring and pressing tightly. Turn it over and reverse the fold in the same place. A good rubber ring will

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LOMOND

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show no crease or break where the rubber has been folded.

After the jars have been tested they should be put on in warm water and boiled for 10 minutes. The tops and rubbers should also be sterilized for the same length of time.

Don't hesitate, irrigate!

FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD

—for the recovery of roan shorthorn bull, branded on right ribs CN—, strayed from pasture along the Bow River. Also \$10 reward per head for recovery of 3 cows, 3 steers rising three years, 3 heifers rising three years and 2 heifers rising two years. — C. E. Montgomery, owner, P. O. Box 199, Nanton, Alta., Phone No. 118.

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.. LOCALETS ..

Lomond tennis enthusiasts effected an organization this week so as to stimulate interest in the game and provide a sinking fund with which to take care of expenses incurred in buying new equipment and cleaning off the courts. Everything is now ready for the elimination series from which material will be taken to issue a challenge on a coming tournament.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hanna are rejoicing in the arrival of a newborn son, Wednesday, the 14th.

G. B. Tibert favors us with his subscription renewal from Barons and exhorts us to "go as high as we like" on fair day. Very few people appear to be anxious to accompany us up in the

air, but you never can tell the effect of contagion once the machine gets going.

Chris Uswell was so unfortunate on Saturday as to receive a triple fracture in his leg as a result of a kick from a horse he was undertaking to harness in Holo's barn. He was taken to the Lethbridge hospital on Tuesday, Duke Armstrong accompanying him in. Mr. Uswell but a week ago returned from Rochester, Minn., where his wife was undergoing surgical treatment.

Mort Hanna is also home from Rochester, and able to be around again.

Mrs. A. L. Oatman and son, Donald, of London, Ont., are visiting Mrs. Oatman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. King, and her brother, R. L. King.

H. N. Biering is over from Couer de elene, Wash., this week checking up his farming interests.

Choice Timothy Hay

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Good selection of Ladies White Skirts, all sizes 24 to 32 waist, good range of material and styles. All reduced—

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Our stock of underwear is far too heavy for this time of year and must turn into money. Now is your chance to buy at a big reduction.

15 per cent Discount

Millinery

All millinery reduced to give our customers a chance on a new hat at a small price. We have a number of hats to sell at—

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White Canvas Shoes for Ladies' and Children

Ladies' White Canvas Shoes in leather soles and heels or rubber soles and heels all at Big Reductions. Children's in rubber or leather sole and heel. These lines run in high top, high, medium and low heel, and a full range of oxfords and pumps, all newest styles, and all numbers are lined to prevent shoe from going out of shape—

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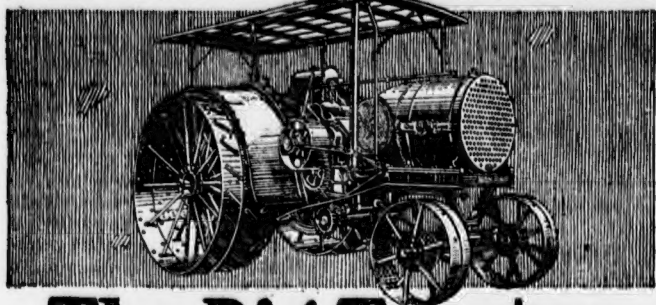
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J. H. WILLIAMSON

(2) DEALER LOMOND

LOCALETS

It cost the government of the province of Saskatchewan more than three million dollars to provide relief to the drouth stricken areas in that province last winter. This is perhaps about the same amount as was expended in Alberta. If the three millions had been spent towards the construction of the Lethbridge Northern irrigation project the people would have been in a far better shape financially and they would have enjoyed the relief just the same. They would have earned the money and paid their own way.

The formal petitions for the organization of an irrigation district are now in the hands of the canvassers and are being circulated in the area affected.

Misses Blanche and Faith Ferris of Calgary are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Erskine and other friends in town.

Jens Sokvitne is down from Munson visiting with his brothers for a few days. He reports that the crops are fairly good around that district, only a little late.

Father Bidault was in Lomond for a

few days this week.

A. C. Finley is back in Lomond again renewing old acquaintances, and will return to Big Valley to resume his duties on the C.N.R.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott and family left on last Tuesdays train for Cartwright, Manitoba.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Cox spent Sunday at Lake Newell.

Norris Hanna, and wife and daughter, down from Hanna on a business trip.

Geo. D. Salter is taking a flyig trip through the north country this week.

W. A. Teskey gave his foot a severe jam between the tractor and road grader tongue, laying himself off duty for a few days.

Owing to the fact that so many of the prospective telephone subscribers feel themselves unable to shoulder the financial obligation at the present time it is very probable no rural construction work will be done here this year, tho' three car loads of poles are already on the grounds.

Miss Chambers has taken over the telephone exchange. Mrs. Summers and daughters left this week for their

former home in Washington.

The Women's Institute of Reid Hill will give a barn dance at James Marshall's Ranch on Wednesday evening, July 28th. Music will be furnished by the Vulcan Band. Proceeds to go towards building a bath house at Lake MacGregor.

When the freshness of on egg is doubtful, break each one separately in a cup before mixing them together. To ascertain the freshness of eggs without breaking them put them in a solution made of two ounces of salt to one pint of water. A fresh egg sinks, an egg a few days old has a tendency to rise a little in the liquid, while a stale egg floats on top.

The province pays thousands of dollars for the privilege of hearing the rooster crow all summer long. Fertile eggs will spoil in warm summer weather. Last year's losses were enormous from heated eggs, partly hatched eggs, mouldy eggs, black rots, addled eggs and dirty eggs,—Eat Him—Sell Him—Confine Him.

ESTRAY

1 dark bay mare, white face, 4 years old, broken to work, weight between 1150 and 1200, also one black gelding, white star on forehead, 13 years old, weight about 1000, both had halters on when strayed. Orie O. Donily, Lomond.



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O. C. BARBER, Manager.

BADGER LAKE

Miss Smith of Washington, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Thompson for a few weeks, left for home on Friday, via Lethbridge.

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Those attending the funeral in Lethbridge on Saturday of Mrs. Stanley Trew were Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Trew and Florence, Mr. and Mrs. P. Thompson, Elmer Thompson, Duncan, Robt. and Roger Wilkinson and R. L. King.

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Miss Elliott of Edson, a former teacher here, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Trew.

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Everybody was glad to see the big rains and the plows have been kept well polished ever since. Some Badger Lake farmers have excellent stands of wheat.

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Wm. Holmes has been called to Calgary owing to the serious condition of his wife who is now in the Calgary hospital.

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E. G. Haley is busy circulating the irrigation petition. Nearly everyone is signing up. The map shows Badger Lake to get water from all sides.

The world has 730,000 miles of railway.

The camel is said to have originated on the American continent.

Nearly 70,000,000 tons of coal are converted annually into coke.

The war caused a loss of some 22,000,000 cows to the countries of Europe.

Between 10,000 and 15,000 bats can be found in one roost in the West Indies.

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W. A. Teskey

Lomond and Travers

Growing Seed on Irrigated Land

There are undoubtedly great possibilities in the growing of seed on the irrigable lands of Southern Alberta. On several farms in different parts of the irrigated area small pieces of land have been reserved for growing seed during the last few seasons. The success of Don. H. Bark, superintendent of the Irrigation Investigation Branch of the C. P. R. along these lines in previous years has, no doubt, induced many others to try seed growing, and in 1919 much seed was grown with considerable profit on irrigated land in Southern Alberta in the districts surrounding

Brooks, Strathmore and Coaldale.

Up to now seed growing has perhaps received more attention in the Brooks district than in the other parts of the irrigated area. Alfalfa, clovers, and grain have been chiefly grown. No doubt the greatest success last season was that of J. E. Strong, who farms five miles north of Brooks. From a two year old field containing eleven acres of Grimm alfalfa, Mr. Strong threshed 8,400 pounds of seed. The quality of this seed may be judged from the fact that at the British Columbia Seed Fair held at Kamloops in the latter part of January this year an exhibit of it was awarded the first prize. Mr. Strong's crop has been sold for eighty-five cents to a dollar a pound, so that the proceeds from this field of eleven acres was between seven and eight thousand dollars from seed alone.

Mr. Strong's was one of the largest fields of seed grown, and his success is interesting because it proves that the results others are obtaining on fields of one or two acres can be duplicated on larger areas. Up to now farmers have been growing seed mainly for their own requirements, seldom having more than an acre and often less. For two years in succession Mr. Bark has grown alfalfa seed on an acre of land at the C. P. R. demonstration farm at Brooks. This seed was sold for fifty cents a pound. In 1919 the field produced 700 pounds of re-cleaned seed, which is being sold to farmers in the district at seventy-five cents a pound, although in the open market it would probably bring a dollar a pound. The value of the seed and the hay harvested on this acre of land in the two seasons is considerably more than one thousand dollars.

Growing clover seed is also proving very profitable. A three-quarter acre field at Tilley, east of Brooks, last year produced six bushels of red clover seed to the acre. More than sixty-five cents a pound is being obtained for this seed, which works out at a return of more than three hundred dollars to the acre. At the Idaho State Seed Show held at Pocatello, Idaho, last February, it was awarded first prize. The quality is thus evidenced, for this prize was won in competition with seed grown in one of the best seed growing areas in the United States.

A three acre field of alsike clover gave a yield of six bushels to the acre. Sixty-five cents a pound is the value of this seed and it brought a return of three hundred dollars to the acre. Yellow sweet clover on a three and a half acre field at Tilley had a yield of five bushels and fifty pound to the acre. At thirty-five cents a pound, or twenty-one dollars a bushel, a return of more than one hundred dollars an acre was obtained from these three and a half acres. That similar results can also be obtained on larger fields is shown by the harvest taken from nineteen and a half acres of white sweet clover planted on the C. P. R. demonstration farm at Tilley. This field yielded 18,500 pounds of clean seed, which was sold for an average price of thirty cents a pound. The total returns for the field were therefore, more than \$5,500, or \$282 for each acre.

Sow Fall Rye

A CAR OF SEED
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Best 2 out of 3 1/2-mile heats, 5 to enter, 3 to start, 10 per cent entry fee.

Relay Race - \$25.00 and \$15.00
3 to start, 10 per cent entry fee.

Novelty Race - \$10.00 and \$5.00
Walk quarter mile, trot quarter mile, run quarter mile, 3 to enter, 2 to start, 10 per cent entry fee.

Pony Race - \$10.00 and \$5.00
Half mile dash, under 14 hands, 3 to start, 10 per cent entry fee.

Automobile Race - Purse \$100.00
\$50.00, \$30.00 and \$20.00, 5 to enter, 3 to start, entry fee 10 per cent of purse.

ATHLETIC SPORTS---

Men's 100-yard Dash	\$3.00	\$1.50
Running High Jump	2.00	1.00
Running Broad Jump	2.00	1.00
Running Hop, Step and Jump	2.00	1.00
Sack Race, boys under 16	2.00	1.00
Fat Man's Race, 200 lbs. and over	2.00	1.00
Married Couple's Race	3.00	1.50
Boys' Race, under 15 years	1.00	.50
Boys' Race, under 12 years	1.00	.50
Boys' Race, under 9 years	1.00	.50
Girls' Race, under 15 years	1.00	.50
Girls' Race, under 12 years	1.00	.50
Girls' Race, under 9 years	1.00	.50
Ladies' Potato Race	2.00	1.00

Boys' Bicycle Race - \$3.00 and \$2.00

When it is considered that in Southern Alberta there will eventually be between two and three million acres of irrigable land on which similar results will be possible, it seems safe to predict that, before many more years have elapsed, a very important commercial seed producing area will have been established here.

"Seed Growing on Irrigated Land"

will be the subject of one of the addresses at the forthcoming Convention of the Western Canada Irrigation Association at Lethbridge, July 28, 29 and 30. Don. H. Bark and Professor G.H. Cutler, of the University of Alberta, have consented to give addresses on this topic, which is one of great importance to the farmers throughout Western Canada, especially those who